

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 58th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN BILL TASH**, on March 28, 2003 at 3:27 P.M., in Room 405 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Bill Tash, Chairman (R)
Sen. Aubyn Curtiss, Vice Chairman (R)
Sen. Sherm Anderson (R)
Sen. Gregory D. Barkus (R)
Sen. Jon Ellingson (D)
Sen. Rick Laible (R)
Sen. Bea McCarthy (D)
Sen. Dan McGee (R)
Sen. Gary L. Perry (R)
Sen. Glenn Roush (D)
Sen. Ken Toole (D)

Members Excused: Sen. Debbie Shea (D)

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Krista Lee Evans, Legislative Branch
Roberta Opel, Committee Secretary

Video-taped Committee: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. A video-taped recording of the meeting is available from the Montana Historical Society.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: None
Executive Action: HB 223, HB 505, HB 669

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 223

Motion: Motion by SEN. KEN TOOLE HB 223 BE CONCURRED IN.

Discussion:

3:29pm Begin

Motion: SEN. TOOLE moved AMENDMENT HB022301.akl

EXHIBIT(nas66a01)

Vote: Motion to adopt AMENDMENT HB022301.akl carried unanimously.

Motion: SEN. GREG BARKUS moved HB 223 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.

Discussion:

3:31pm Begin

3:35pm End

4 min Elapsed time

Vote: Motion HB 223 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED carried 11-1 with SEN. BEA MCCARTHY voting no.

Discussion:

3:37pm Begin

3:39pm End

2 min Elapsed time

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 505

Motion: Motion by SEN. TOOLE HB 505 BE CONCURRED IN. Amendments to the bill were distributed to the committee. **EXHIBIT**(nas66a02)

Motion/Vote: Motion to adopt AMENDMENT HB050503.amv carried unanimously.

Motion: SEN. TOOLE moved HB 505 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED failed 9-2 on a roll call vote with SENATORS JON ELLINGSON and KEN TOOLE voting in favor of the motion.

Discussion:

3:40pm Begin
3:47pm End
7 min Elapsed time

Motion: Motion to INDEFINITELY POSTPONE HB 505 carried.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 669

Motion: Motion by SEN. GARY PERRY HB 669 BE CONCURRED IN.

Motion: Motion by SEN. RICK LAIBLE moved to adopt AMENDMENT HB066901.akl. **EXHIBIT**(nas66a03)

Discussion:

3:51pm Begin
3:52pm End
1 min Elapsed time

Vote: Motion to adopt AMENDMENT HB66901.akl carried unanimously.

Motion: Motion by SEN. LAIBLE HB 669 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.

Discussion:

3:53pm Begin

Motion: SEN. DAN MCGEE moved to adopt AMENDMENT HB066901.akl.

Substitute Motion: Motion by SEN. MCGEE to withdraw his motion.

Discussion:

3:56pm Begin
3:59pm End
3 min Elapsed time

Substitute Motion/Vote: Motion by SEN. GARY PERRY to INDEFINITELY POSTPONE HB 669. Motion carried with SENATORS ELLINGSON, BARKUS, MCCARTHY, and TOOLE voting no.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 4 P.M.

SEN. BILL TASH, Chairman

ROBERTA OPEL, Secretary

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EXHIBIT (nas66aad)